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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	BOARD OF MENTAL HEALTH AND CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY PROFESSIONALS
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Wednesday, February 25, 2009 at 12:00 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B , second floor of the Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED	March 25, 2009

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. James Walsh, LPCMH, **President**, Presiding
Maynard Gregory, LCDP, **Vice President**
Vera Murrell, Public Member, **Secretary**
Dr. William Northey, LMFT
Daniel Cherneski, LMFT
William Gale, LPCMH
Winnie Lewis, Public Member
Clayton Yocum, Sr., Public Member
Robert Doyle, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Allison Reardon, Deputy Attorney General
Shauna Slaughter, Administrative Specialist II

MEMBERS ABSENT

Mary Davis, LCDP
Lisa Ritchie, LPCMH
Tracy Hansen, LMFT

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Walsh called the meeting to order at 12:07 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the January 28, 2009 minutes for approval. Mr. Cherneski made a motion, seconded by Ms. Murrell, to approve the minutes as presented. Motion unanimously carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Application for LPCMH Licensure by Certification – Michael Sorenson

The Board reviewed Mr. Sorenson's application for LPCMH licensure by certification. Dr. Northey made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cherneski, to **approve** the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Application for LPCMH Licensure by Certification – Anita Delaney

The Board reviewed Ms. Delaney's application for LPCMH licensure by certification. Dr. Northey made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cherneski, to **table** the application for clarification of supervision and experience hours accumulated during a four year period. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Application for LPCMH Licensure by Reciprocity – Timothy Early

The Board reviewed Mr. Early's application for LPCMH licensure by reciprocity. Dr. Northey made a motion, seconded by Mr. Gale, to **approve** the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Application for LMFT Licensure by Examination – Charles Love

The Board reviewed Mr. Love's application for LMFT licensure by examination. Mr. Cherneski made a motion, seconded by Dr. Northey, to **propose to deny** the application due to Mr. Love's education not meeting the requirements for licensure. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Application for LMFT Licensure by Reciprocity – Jean Dejewski

The Board reviewed Ms. Dejewski's application for LMFT licensure by reciprocity. Mr. Cherneski made a motion, seconded by Dr. Northey, to **approve** the application **contingent** upon receipt of an official score report verifying a passing score on the AMFTRB exam. Motion unanimously carried.

Review Request for Approval of Continuing Education Activity from McKissock

The Board reviewed a request for approval of three continuing education courses from McKissock, an online CE provider. The courses submitted for review are as follows:

Addressing the Cheating & Unfaithful Motives – 2 hours

Working with Children of Immigrants – 2 hours

Working with Latino Families: Impact of Immigration & Acculturation – 2 hours

Mr. Yocum made a motion, seconded by Mr. Doyle, to approve all of the above courses. Motion unanimously carried.

Correspondence

There was no correspondence for review.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Continuing Education Audit

The Board reviewed CE audit information submitted by the licensees who did not respond to the initial audit notice, and information submitted by licensees who were found deficient during the audit review in January. All licensees reviewed today passed the audit.

Other Business (for discussion only)

Dr. Walsh and Dr. Northey provided the Board with an overview of the items discussed at the

legislative committee meeting. They advised that a draft of proposed changes will be presented to the Board for review at the March meeting.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

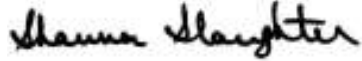
Next Meeting Date

The Board's next meeting is scheduled for March 25, 2009, at 12:00 p.m., in Conference Room B of the Cannon Bldg., 861 Silver Lake Blvd., Dover, Delaware.

Adjournment

Ms. Murrell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Gregory, to adjourn. Motion unanimously carried. There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 12:53 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shauna Slaughter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Shauna Slaughter
Administrative Specialist II